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Washington, D.C. 20231

Application of: PETER NASH ET AL

Serial No.: 09/616,843

Filed: July 14, 2000

Case Docket No.: C150.12B

Group Art Unit 1644

Exr. P. Huynh

For: IMMUNOGEN ADHERENCE INHIBITOR AND METHOD OF MAKING AND USING
SAME

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicants are individual inventors and claim small entity status.

| (Col. 1) | (Col. 2) | (Col. 3) | SMALL ENTITY | LARGE ENTITY |
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| AFTER AMDT. | PAID FOR | EXTRA | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 21 - 20 | = 1 | x 9 = \$ 9 | x 18 = \$ |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 8 - 4 | = 4 | x 42 = \$ 168 | x 84 = \$ |
| TOTAL FEE \$177 | | | | |

Enclosed is a check in the amount of **\$177** to cover the additional amendment fee in this application.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Applicants request that the application be amended as follows:

Add the following claims

17. The method of Claim 11 including: providing a dry feed carrier material, drying said antibody-containing contents by coating the carrier material with said antibody-containing contents, distributing said carrier material coated with said antibody-containing contents in animal feed or water, and supplying the carrier material coated with said antibody-containing contents and animal feed or water to substantially prevent adherence of the immunogen in the intestinal tracts of the animals thereby promoting the growth of the animals.

18. The method of Claim 17 wherein: providing a dry feed carrier material from a group of materials including soybean hulls, rice hulls, corn, cottonseed hulls, distilled dried grains and beet pulp.

19. The method of Claim 14 including: providing a dry feed carrier material, drying

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